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SUB: Applicant: Harischandra K. Mhatre

- 1. Patent Application Sr.No.10/666, 456 for "Improved Heart Valve Prosthesis"
- 2. Patent Application Sr.No. 10166674576for "Prosthetic Heart Valve of Pyrolytic Carbon"

Sir,

I wrote to you on February 21, 2005, but I do not have opportunity to hear from you yet.

The above two Patent Applications Sr.No.10/666, 456 and Sr.No. 10/666, 457 were filed on September 19, 2003 through Law Offices of OLSON & HIERL LTD. of Chicago, Illinois. It is now 19th month running but I do not have news of both the Patent Applications.

I propose to visit U.S.A. from May 6, 2005 onwards. My temporary address in America as below:

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I shall be greatful to know the present status of both the Patent Applications at your end.

Respectfully Submitted

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was admitted to this hospital on 22/6/97
under the treatment of Dr. S.M. katak
His/Her diagnosis is Right sided hemiplegia
He/She was operated on
The operation performed was
He / She was discharged on 12/7/99
He / She is advised rest for 6 months
days/Months. as patient is unable to walk or write with
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